

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE TERRITORY OF IOWA.

ROBERT LUCAS, GOVERNOR AND COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE MILITIA OF SAID TERRITORY.

To Alax. Lyons. Esquire, GREETING:

Know You, That by virtue of the power vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of the United States, and reposing special trust and confidence in your courage, integrity, fidelity and good conduct, I have nominated, and by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council appointed you Captain of Company No. 2 in the Third Regiment of the Second Brigade, in the First Division of Militia of this Territory; / with rank from

AND do hereby authorize you to discharge all and singular the duties and services appertaining to your said office, agreeably to law and such instructions as you shall from time to time receive from your superior officers; and to hold the said office, with all the privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging, for and during the pleasure of the Governor of the said Territory for the time being, until the end of the next regulation of the same especially the —
In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my name, and caused the Great Seal of the Territory to be hereunto affixed.

Done at the City of Burlington, the 2^d day of July

in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty — and in the sixty — year of the Independence of the United States of America.

BY THE GOVERNOR'S COMMAND:

To H. M. C. Van Antwerp Adjutant General.

Robert Lucas

Secretary of the
Treasurer of the United States and
of the State Department and
that I will discharge the
functions of my
office by the power
of the Government
to help me back

Sincerely yours, before me this 2^d day of
July 1820
John H. Maffett
Notary Public.